

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-23 (Canceled)

24. (Previously Presented) A condenser, comprising:

a tube block comprised of tubes and fins;

a header arranged on each end of the tube block and communicating with the tubes;

a collector which is arranged in parallel with and connected to one of the headers by means of an inflow opening and an outflow opening, the collector including a selectively removable closure stopper at one end of the collector located in the region of the outflow opening; and

an insert which is connected to the closure stopper and includes a circumferential sealing member arranged between the inflow opening and the outflow opening, and a filter unit (1) that defines the insert as a separate functional unit, (2) that comprises a cage member defining a generally hollow, unfilled space within it and openings on its lateral sides that are covered by a filter material, and (3) that is arranged in the region of the outflow opening;

wherein the cage member of the insert comprises a pot-shaped design having a bottom, a sidewall and an edge, the sidewall having said openings positioned above the bottom, and wherein the sealing member comprises a circumferential sealing lip being arranged at said edge.

25. (Canceled)

26. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ condenser as claimed in claim 24, wherein the insert is selectively detachably connected to the closure stopper.

27. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ condenser as claimed in claim 24, wherein the insert is embodied in one piece with the closure stopper.

28. (Currently Amended) The ~~[[A]]~~ condenser as claimed in claim 27, wherein the insert and the closure stopper are manufactured as an injection molded part.